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**From:** Edward Kastner  
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**To:** neil.jacobs@noaa.gov  
**Subject:** A Question

Dear Mr. Jacobs,

Now that the NOAA is a political branch of the Trump administration, can you provide new guidelines to help me interpret severe weather alerts? You see, I live in a very blue city in an extremely red state. The next time tornadoes are predicted for my area, should I assume the weather report showing the path of the tornado heading for my neighborhood is real or only wishful thinking on the part of the Trump administration because we voted blue last election? You know, scare us all to death while the tornado actually rips up a small town 200 miles away.

Seriously, weather is difficult enough to predict. Now I have to watch Fox News everyday to correctly interpret my hometown weather reports? I look forward to reading the new guidelines.

Thank you for your kind attention to this matter,

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